

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Jinsaku Masuyama et al.
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Examiner:	Adhami, Mohammad Sajid
Title:	<b>METHOD AND SYSTEM SUPPORTING REAL-TIME FAIL-OVER OF NETWORK SWITCHES</b>

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 11, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.